

## February 9, 2007 Update U.S. 101 Widening Project, Santa Rosa

## **Sixth Street Work Continues**

• Excavation continues at Sixth Street through the week of February 19. The shoring work is complete, and there should be no more nighttime noise at Sixth Street. Crews will begin to drive pipe piles during the day as the weather allows.

## **Openings and Closings**

- Olive Avenue and the Santa Rosa Overhead demolition work are scheduled for nights through Thursday, February 15. Olive Avenue is scheduled for closure overnight Monday, February 12 through Wednesday, February 14 during demolition.
- The southbound traffic on U.S. 101 at College Avenue has shifted to the new center median bridge.
  - The College Avenue westernmost bridge demolition is complete.
  - Excavation is scheduled at College the week of February 12 as crews begin to build the new bridge.
- The southbound traffic on U.S. 101 at Steele Lane has shifted to the new center median bridge.
  - The new Steele Lane westernmost bridge falsework is scheduled for completion. The undercrossing will close for a night the week of February 12. The closure will most likely be on Tuesday, February 13 or Wednesday, February 14, depending on the weather.
- Fifth and Ninth Streets remain closed. Ninth Street is open for pedestrian and bicycle traffic. During the week of February 12 at Ninth Street, crews will demolish the west side barrier during the day and night. Caltrans must do work at night so that a freeway lane can be closed to accommodate equipment operating above Ninth Street. Work progresses on the viaduct with deck pours to continue as weather permits. In March, crews will reopen Fifth Street and close Fourth Street to safely finish the viaduct section over Fourth Street.
- Throughout the life of the project, either lane in both the northbound or southbound direction of U.S. 101 will temporarily close as needed, from 10:00pm to 5:00am between State Route 12 to Steele Lane.
- The Third Street offramp from northbound U.S. 101, the Third Street undercrossing, and Prince Memorial Greenway are open.

All work dates are tentative as the rainy season impacts construction.

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